

BOARD APPOINTEES AND VACANCIES

Section 2-15-108, MCA, passed by the 1991 Legislature, directed that all appointing authorities of all appointive boards, commissions, committees, and councils of state government take positive action to attain gender balance and proportional representation of minority residents to the greatest extent possible.

One directive of 2-15-108, MCA, is that the Secretary of State publish monthly in the ***Montana Administrative Register*** a list of appointees and upcoming or current vacancies on those boards and councils.

In this issue, appointments effective in July 2007 appear. Vacancies scheduled to appear from September 1, 2007, through November 30, 2007, are listed, as are current vacancies due to resignations or other reasons. Individuals interested in serving on a board should refer to the bill that created the board for details about the number of members to be appointed and necessary qualifications.

Each month, the previous month's appointees are printed, and current and upcoming vacancies for the next three months are published.

IMPORTANT

Membership on boards and commissions changes constantly. The following lists are current as of August 1, 2007.

For the most up-to-date information of the status of membership, or for more detailed information on the qualifications and requirements to serve on a board, contact the appointing authority.

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<u>Appointee</u>	<u>Appointed by</u>	<u>Succeeds</u>	<u>Appointment/End Date</u>
Acting Coordinator of Indian Affairs (Governor)			
Mr. Major Robinson	Governor	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Board of Funeral Service (Labor and Industry)			
Mr. Ronald E. Brothers	Governor	Nelson	7/1/2007
Hamilton			7/1/2012
Qualifications (if required): mortician			
Mr. John Tarr	Governor	Ruppert	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2012
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Mr. Bart Thompson	Governor	Scherer	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2012
Qualifications (if required): cemetarian			
Board of Regents (Higher Education)			
Ms. Kerra Melvin	Governor	O'Loughlin	7/1/2007
Butte			6/30/2008
Qualifications (if required): student			
Economic Development Advisory Council (Commerce)			
Ms. Corlene Martin	Governor	reappointed	7/25/2007
Choteau			7/23/2010
Qualifications (if required): public representative			

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Economic Development Advisory Council (Commerce) cont.			
Mr. Tony Rudbach	Governor	reappointed	7/25/2007
Missoula			7/23/2010
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Mr. Jim Smitham	Governor	reappointed	7/25/2007
Butte			7/23/2010
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Mr. Paul Tuss	Governor	reappointed	7/25/2007
Havre			7/23/2010
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Electrical Board (Labor and Industry)			
Ms. Marlene Egan	Governor	Holden	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2012
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Information Technology Managers Advisory Council (Administration)			
Mr. Barney Benkelman	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Mr. Mike Bousliman	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			

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Information Technology Managers Advisory Council (Administration) cont.			
Mr. Rick Bush	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Mr. Dick Clark	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Mr. John Daugherty	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Mr. Mike Jacobson	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Mr. Art Pembroke	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Ms. Tammy Peterson	Director	not listed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): none specified			

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Mental Disabilities Board of Visitors (Governor)			
Ms. Susan W. Duffy	Governor	Moddrell	7/1/2007
Missoula			7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): consumer of developmental disability services			
Ms. Suzanne Hopkins	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007
Lewistown			7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): consumer of mental health services			
Ms. Teresa Lewis	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007
Harlem			7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): consumer of mental health services			
Montana Campaign Finance Reform Advisory Council (Secretary of State)			
Mr. Steve Brown	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Helena			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Sen. Duane Grimes	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Clancy			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Sen. Lorents Grosfield	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Big Timber			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			

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Montana Campaign Finance Reform Advisory Council (Secretary of State) cont.			
Attorney General Joseph P. Mazurek	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Helena			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Sen. Debbie Shea	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Butte			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Ms. Linda Vaughey	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Helena			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Rep. Cindy Younkin	Secretary of State	not listed	7/10/2007
Bozeman			7/10/2009
Qualifications (if required): none specified			
Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors (Labor and Industry)			
Mr. Vic Cundy	Governor	reappointed	7/24/2007
Bozeman			7/1/2011
Qualifications (if required): licensed mechanical engineer/instructor			
Mr. James Hahn	Governor	reappointed	7/24/2007
Billings			7/1/2011
Qualifications (if required): licensed land surveyor			

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Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors (Labor and Industry) cont.			
Mr. Casey E. Johnston Butte	Governor	reappointed	7/24/2007 7/1/2011
Qualifications (if required): licensed electrical engineer			
Mr. Archie L. Nunn Helena	Governor	Blaire	7/24/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Mr. Tom Tanner Arlee	Governor	Ferguson	7/24/2007 7/1/2011
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
Public Defender Commission (Administration)			
Ms. Betty Bichsel Edgar	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): employee of an organization providing addictive behavior counseling			
Ms. Wendy Holton Helena	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): attorney nominated by the State Bar			

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Public Defender Commission (Administration) cont.			
Mr. Mike Sherwood	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007
Missoula			7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): attorney nominated by the Montana Supreme Court			
Ms. Tara Veazey	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007
Helena			7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): member of an organization advocating on behalf of indigent persons			
Research and Commercialization Technology Board (Commerce)			
Mr. Jim Davison	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007
Anaconda			7/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): public representative			
State Employee Charitable Giving Campaign Advisory Council (Administration)			
Ms. Kathy Miller	Director	Engler	7/9/2007
Helena			2/14/2009
Qualifications (if required): independent charities representative			
State Workforce Investment Board (Labor and Industry)			
Sen. John Brueggeman	President of the Senate	Perry	7/25/2007
Polson			0/0/0
Qualifications (if required): not listed			
Teachers' Retirement Board (Administration)			
Ms. Kari Peiffer	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007
Kalispell			7/1/2012
Qualifications (if required): teacher/member			

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Tourism Advisory Council (Commerce)			
Ms. Sandra Cahill Livingston	Governor	Vermillion	7/1/2007 7/1/2008
Qualifications (if required): resident of Yellowstone Country			
Ms. Rhonda Fitzgerald Whitefish	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): resident of Glacier Country			
Ms. Vicki Huckle Helena	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): resident of Goldwest Country			
Mr. Stan Ozark Glasgow	Governor	reappointed	7/1/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): resident of Missouri River Country			
Ms. Sandy Watts Garryowen	Governor	Staves	7/1/2007 7/1/2010
Qualifications (if required): resident of Custer Country			
Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Council (Public Health and Human Services)			
Ms. Julia Hammerquist Kalispell	Governor	Patrick	7/24/2007 1/1/2009
Qualifications (if required): traumatic brain injury survivor			

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<u>Board/current position holder</u>	<u>Appointed by</u>	<u>Term end</u>
Alternative Health Care Board (Labor and Industry) Dr. Michael Bergkamp, Helena Qualifications (if required): naturopath	Governor	9/1/2007
Dr. Kathleen Stevens, Billings Qualifications (if required): physician	Governor	9/1/2007
Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists (Labor and Industry) Ms. Darlene Battaiola, Butte Qualifications (if required): cosmetologist	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Sharon Richie, Hamilton Qualifications (if required): barber	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Maggie Burton-Blize, Missoula Qualifications (if required): barber	Governor	10/1/2007
Board of Medical Examiners (Governor) Dr. Daniel Alzheimer, Helena Qualifications (if required): doctor of medicine	Governor	9/1/2007
Dr. James D. Upchurch, Crow Agency Qualifications (if required): doctor of medicine	Governor	9/1/2007
Board of Outfitters (Labor and Industry) Mr. Kelly Flynn, Townsend Qualifications (if required): hunting and fishing outfitter	Governor	10/1/2007

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Board of Psychologists (Labor and Industry) Ms. Pat Colberg, Billings Qualifications (if required): public member	Governor	9/1/2007
Capital Finance Advisory Council (Governor) Attorney General Mike McGrath, Helena Qualifications (if required): Attorney General	Governor	11/22/2007
Rep. David Ewer, Helena Qualifications (if required): Budget Director	Governor	11/22/2007
Director Janet Kelly, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration Director	Governor	11/22/2007
Sen. Rick Laible, Victor Qualifications (if required): state senator	Governor	11/22/2007
Director Mary Sexton, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Natural Resources and Conservation	Governor	11/22/2007
Ms. Karen B. Fagg, Billings Qualifications (if required): Board of Investments representative	Governor	11/22/2007
Rep. Kevin Furey, Milltown Qualifications (if required): state representative	Governor	11/22/2007
Director Tony Preite, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Commerce Director	Governor	11/22/2007

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Capital Finance Advisory Council (Governor) cont.		
Director Richard Oppen, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Environmental Quality Director	Governor	11/22/2007
Director Jim Lynch, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Transportation Director	Governor	11/22/2007
Mr. J.P. Crowley, Helena Qualifications (if required): Board of Housing representative	Governor	11/22/2007
Secretary of State Brad Johnson, Helena Qualifications (if required): Secretary of State	Governor	11/22/2007
Mr. Bill Kearns, Townsend Qualifications (if required): Facility Finance Authority representative	Governor	11/22/2007
Mr. Mark Semmons, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): Board of Regents representative	Governor	11/22/2007
Corrections Advisory Council (Corrections)		
Rep. Dorothy Bradley, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Sen. Mike Cooney, Helena Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Judge Joe L. Hegel, Forsyth Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007

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Corrections Advisory Council (Corrections) cont. Rep. William T. "Red" Menahan, Anaconda Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Sen. Jim Shockley, Victor Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Lt. Governor John Bohlinger, Helena Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Sen. Trudi Schmidt, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Ms. Valarie Weber-Rasch, Billings Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Rep. Gail Gutsche, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Sen. Steve Gallus, Butte Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Sen. Larry Jent, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Rep. Tim Callahan, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007

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Corrections Advisory Council (Corrections) cont.		
Ms. Gloria Edwards, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Rep. Veronica Small-Eastman, Lodge Grass Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Mr. Allan Underdal, Shelby Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Mr. Robert Ross, Billings Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Ms. Mikie Baker-Hajek, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): victims' advocate	Governor	9/8/2007
Ms. Emily Matt Salois, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Mr. Dave Castle, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
County Attorney George Corn, Hamilton Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Chief William Dial, Whitefish Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007

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Corrections Advisory Council (Corrections) cont. Commissioner Adam Gartner, Glendive Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Mr. Emery Jones, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Mr. Carl Venne, Crow Agency Qualifications (if required): public representative	Governor	9/8/2007
Ms. Penny Kipp, Pablo Qualifications (if required): having competency in addressing problems facing youth	Governor	9/8/2007
Montana Organic Commodity Advisory Council (Agriculture) Ms. Laura Garber, Hamilton Qualifications (if required): organic producer	Director	11/7/2007
Ms. Andre Giles, Fort Benton Qualifications (if required): organic handler	Director	11/7/2007
Mr. Mark Bruckner, Malta Qualifications (if required): organic producer	Director	11/7/2007
State Emergency Response Commission (Military Affairs) Sen. Barry "Spook" Stang, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Trucking Association	Governor	10/1/2007

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State Emergency Response Commission (Military Affairs) cont.		
Mr. Mike Tooley, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Montana Department of Justice	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Linda Williams, Fort Benton Qualifications (if required): representing DES Association	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Daniel Dennehy, Butte Qualifications (if required): representing Local Emergency Planning Committee	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Tom Ellerhoff, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Department of Environmental Quality	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Bill Rhoads, Butte Qualifications (if required): representing a Utility Company	Governor	10/1/2007
Sheriff Clifford Brophy, Columbus Qualifications (if required): representing a Law Enforcement Association	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Seldon Weedon, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): representing Fire Training School	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Jim Greene, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Disaster and Emergency Services	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Royce A. Shipley, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): representing Malmstrom Air Force Base	Governor	10/1/2007

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State Emergency Response Commission (Military Affairs) cont.		
Mr. Steve Larson, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Fire Service Association	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Jim Johnson, Missoula Qualifications (if required): representing a Railroad Company	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Tim Burton, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing League of Cities and Towns	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Jolene Jacobson, Polson Qualifications (if required): representing Tribal Emergency Response Committee	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Sally Buckles, Boulder Qualifications (if required): representing Emergency Management Association	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Stephen Brueske, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): representing National Weather Service	Governor	10/1/2007
Commissioner Ed Tinsley, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Montana Association of Counties	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Mike Vogel, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): representing the University System	Governor	10/1/2007

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State Emergency Response Commission (Military Affairs) cont.		
Ms. Sally Johnson, Helena Qualifications (if required): representing Department of Public Health and Human Services	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Joe Marcotte, Billings Qualifications (if required): representing Hospitals	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Jim DeTienne, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Public Health and Human Services	Governor	10/1/2007
Major Don Emerson, Helena Qualifications (if required): Montana National Guard representative	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Ted Mead, Missoula Qualifications (if required): Department of Natural Resources and Conservation representative	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. D. L. Moore M.D., Billings Qualifications (if required): public health representative	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Sheena Wilson, Helena Qualifications (if required): Governor's office representative	Governor	10/1/2007
Ms. Cheryl Richman, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Transportation representative	Governor	10/1/2007
Mr. Ron Jendro, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks representative	Governor	10/1/2007

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Trauma Care Committee (Public Health and Human Services)		
Mr. Joseph D. Hansen, Big Timber	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of the Eastern Region Trauma Advisory Committee		
Dr. Gregory J. Moore, Missoula	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of the Western Region Trauma Advisory Committee		
Mr. Michael P. McGree, Butte	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of private ambulance operators		
Dr. Kirby Peden, Big Timber	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of the Eastern Region Trauma Advisory Committee		
Mr. Tim Sinton, Choteau	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of the Central Region Trauma Advisory Committee		
Mr. John Bleicher, Missoula	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of Montana Trauma Coordinators		
Ms. Pauline Linnell, Bigfork	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of Montana Emergency Medical Services Association		
Mr. William Taylor, Bigfork	Governor	11/2/2007
Qualifications (if required): representative of Montana Emergency Nurses Association		

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Trauma Care Committee (Public Health and Human Services) cont. Mr. Randall Combs, Lame Deer Qualifications (if required): representative of Indian Health Service	Governor	11/2/2007
Dr. James Bentler, Billings Qualifications (if required): American College of Emergency Physicians representative	Governor	11/2/2007
Dr. Dennis Maier, Billings Qualifications (if required): American College of Surgeons/Trauma Committee representative	Governor	11/2/2007
Water and Waste Water Operators' Advisory Council (Environmental Quality) Mr. Donald Coffman, Harlem Qualifications (if required): water treatment plant operator	Governor	10/16/2007